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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 - EXPEDITED  
PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 2832 *Hawkins*  
*3/25/04*

Attorney's Docket No. NC065-US1/5487-123

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

In re: Puigcerver et al.

Serial No. 09/877,654

Filing Date: June 8, 2001

For: DEVICES AND METHODS FOR PROTECTING WINDINGS  
AROUND A SHARP EDGED CORE

Confirmation No.: 9502

Group Art Unit: 2832

Examiner: Jennifer A. Poker

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

Applicants provide the present response to address the issues raised in the Final Office Action mailed November 14, 2003 and pursuant to the rules stated in revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121 that became effective on July 30, 2003.

If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.